

ORDINANCE NO. 408 N.S.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 14.08.010, 14.08.060  
AND 14.08.090 AND ADDING SECTION 14.08.130  
OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF  
EL PASO DE ROBLES

The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles  
does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 14.08.010 of the  
Municipal Code of the City of El Paso de Robles is hereby  
amended by adding the following subsections thereto:

ff. "Water Softener" is a unit using the ion  
exchange process designed to remove hardness (magnesium  
and/or calcium ions) from a water supply and requiring sodium  
chloride to regenerate the exchange resin. Units that  
regenerate on location are referred to as "On-Site Regeneration  
Units".

gg. "Salt Efficiency Control" is a tamperproof  
device that controls the regeneration cycle on existing on-site  
regeneration water softeners. The control is set at the most  
efficient regeneration setting and sealed.

SECTION 2. That Section 14.08.060 of the Municipal  
Code of the City of El Paso de Robles is hereby amended by  
adding the following subsections thereto:

11. Users of on-site regeneration water softeners  
installed prior to 60 days after the enactment of this article  
are required to retrofit their units with an approved salt  
efficiency control, installed and/or inspected by a certified  
State licensed water conditioning contractor. Users must obtain  
an "Installation/Operations Permit" from the City verifying  
the installations of the retrofit control within 180 days  
after the enactment of this article.

12. On-site regeneration water softener units  
installed later than 60 days after enactment of this article  
must be equipped to regenerate on hardness demand or other  
approved techniques. Users must obtain an "Installation Permit"  
from the City at the time of installation.

13. All toilets and shower facilities in any building served by a water softening device, will be equipped with approved water-saving devices. An "Installation/Operations Permit" must be obtained from the City verifying the installation within 180 days after the enactment of this article.

14. Central Water Softener Regeneration Plants discharging to the City collection or treatment systems are required to install and operate an approved brine reclamation system and an approved backwash water-saving system. An "Installation Permit" and an "Operations Permit" are required within 60 days after enactment of this article. An "Operations Permit" will be required annually.

SECTION 3. That Section 14.08.090 of the Municipal Code of the City of El Paso de Robles is hereby amended by deleting subsection 2 thereof and substituting the following subsection 2 in lieu thereof:

2. Any person who continues any violation beyond the time limit provided for in subsection 1, is guilty of an infraction punishable by (a) a fine not exceeding Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for a first violation; (b) a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for a second violation of same ordinance within one year; (c) a fine not exceeding Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) for each additional violation of the same ordinance within one year. Each day in which any such violation continues shall be deemed a separate offense.

SECTION 4. That Section 14.08.130 is hereby added to the Municipal Code of the City of El Paso de Robles as follows:

14.08.130 Procedures and Fees. The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles may from time to time establish and set by resolution the procedures for obtaining permits for installation and operation of water softeners and fees for such permits and inspection.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 1st day of November,  
1977, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Hanson, Minshull, Stemper and Schwartz

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINING: Hurst

  
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BARNEY SCHWARTZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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DONALD B. KEEFER, CITY CLERK

STATE OF CALIFORNIA           )  
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO (SS.  
CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES )

I, Donald, B. Keefer, City Clerk of the City of El Paso de Robles, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 408 N.S. was duly and regularly adopted, passed, and approved by the City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles, California, at a regular meeting of said City Council held at the regular meeting place thereof, on the 1st day of November, 1977, by the following roll call vote:

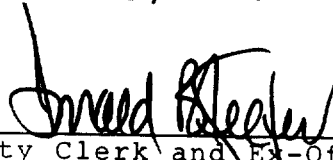
AYES: Hanson, Minshull, Stemper and Schwartz

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINING: Hurst

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1977.

  
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City Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of  
the City Council, City of El Paso  
de Robles, State of California.